

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

**RICKY R. EWING**

**PETITIONER**

**v.**

**CIVIL NO. 1:22-cv-188-HSO-BWR**

**ALICIA BOX, Record Dept. MDOC;  
BURL CAIN, MDOC Commissioner;  
and MDOC RECORD DEPT.**

**RESPONDENTS**

**CERTIFICATE OF APPEALABILITY**

A final order adverse to the applicant having been filed in the captioned habeas corpus case, in which the detention complained of arises out of process issued by a state court, this Court, considering the record in the case and the requirements of 28 U.S.C. § 2253, Rule 22(b) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, and Rule 11(a) of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts, hereby finds that a Certificate of Appealability should not issue. The applicant has failed to show “that jurists of reason would find it debatable whether the petition states a valid claim of the denial of a constitutional right and that jurists of reason would find it debatable whether [this Court] was correct in its procedural ruling.” *Slack v. McDaniel*, 529 U.S. 473, 484 (2000).

**SO ORDERED AND ADJUDGED**, this the 15th day of December, 2022.

*s/ Halil Suleyman Ozerden*

HALIL SULEYMAN OZERDEN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE